

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

Planning Application comments have been made. A summary of the comments is provided below.

Comments were submitted at 29/01/2024 7:45 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address: The Amazon And Tiger Harvel Street Meopham Gravesend Kent DA13 0DE

Proposal: Change of use to C3 dwellinghouse.

Case Officer: Mrs Alison Webster

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Customer Details

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED] Harvel Lane Harvel Meopham

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments:

I object to this application for change of use from a public house to a dwelling house. It has been a huge loss to the village to not have somewhere that we can drop into spontaneously and chat to our friends. We have, as a consequence, lost contact with many people since its closure and feel a sense of isolation because of it. To say that we can use the cricket club is misleading, as it's not regularly open. Along with the village hall which only opens for planned events.

The public house has been a cultural landmark, witnessing the evolution of our community over generations. Its closure would erase a piece of our shared history and diminish the character that defines our village.

The Amazon & Tiger has been more than just a pub; it has been a meeting place for community events, celebrations, and gatherings. This sense of connection is irreplaceable. Closing the pub and converting it to a house cannot replace the unique value that the Amazon & Tiger brings to our community's social life.

Before making any decisions, it is crucial for the council to consider the long-term impact on our community's cultural identity, social structure, and economic vitality. Preserving the Amazon & Tiger Public House is not just about saving a building; it's about safeguarding the spirit of our neighborhood that has thrived around it for over a century.

On behalf of the past, current and future residents of Harvel, I urge those responsible for this decision to strongly consider the impact the closure of the Amazon & Tiger Public House will have on the village, and seek to preserve its historical significance and maintain its valuable role within our community.

Kind regards